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IN RE APPLICATION OF :
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CONTAINING ETHYLENICALLY
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SIR:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE TITLE

Please delete the title and replace with the following title:

METHOD FOR PREVENTING UNDESIRED POLYMERISATION IN A MIXTURE OF
SUBSTANCES CONTAINING ETHYLENICALLY UNSATURATED COMPOUNDS

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as shown in the marked-up copy following this amendment to read as follows.